

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S3319–S3342

Measures Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 4543–4546, and S.J. Res. 57. **Page S3340**

Measures Reported:

S. 4543, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2023 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year. (S. Rept. No. 117–130)

S. 2274, to authorize the Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency to establish an apprenticeship program and to establish a pilot program on cybersecurity training for veterans and members of the Armed Forces transitioning to civilian life, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 117–131) **Page S3340**

Appointments:

National Security Commission on Emerging Biotechnology: The Chair, on behalf of the Republican Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 117–81, appointed the following individual to serve as a member of the National Security Commission on Emerging Biotechnology: Ms. Dawn Meyerriecks of Virginia. **Page S3341**

Commission on the National Defense Strategy: The Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 117–81, appointed the following individual to serve as a member of the Commission on the National Defense Strategy: Mariah Sixkiller of Washington. **Page S3341**

Wang Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, of Colorado, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado.

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During consideration of this nomination today, Senate also took the following action:

By 52 yeas to 33 nays (Vote No. EX. 256), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination. **Pages S3327–28**

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination, post-cloture, at approximately 10 a.m., on Tuesday, July 19, 2022; that all post-cloture time be considered expired at 11:30 a.m.; and that if cloture is invoked on the nomination of Nancy L. Maldonado, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, all post-cloture time be expired at 2:15 p.m. **Page S3342**

Williams Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Gregory Brian Williams, of Delaware, to be United States District Judge for the District of Delaware. **Pages S3320–27**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of Nancy L. Maldonado, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois. **Page S3320**

Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session. **Page S3320**

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination. **Page S3320**

Merle Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Natasha C. Merle, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York. **Page S3320**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of the nomination of Gregory Brian Williams, of Delaware, to be United States District Judge for the District of Delaware. **Page S3320**

Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session. **Page S3320**

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination. **Page S3320**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Kimberly Ann McClain, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

L. Felice Gorordo, of Florida, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development for a term of two years.

2 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Army and Navy. **Page S3342**

Messages from the House: **Page S3337**

Measures Referred: **Page S3337**

Measures Placed on the Calendar: **Page S3337**

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Additional Cosponsors: **Pages S3340–41**

Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—256) **Page S3328**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 6:32 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 19, 2022. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3342.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 8404–8414; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 1230–1231, were introduced. **Pages H6705–06**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H6706–07**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 4404, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate segments of the Kissimmee River in the State of Florida as a component of the Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–414);

H.R. 6337, to require the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to develop long-distance bike trails on Federal land, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–415, Part 1);

H.R. 7002, to authorize the Gateway Arch in St. Louis, Missouri, to be illuminated by blue and yellow lights in support of Ukraine, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–416);

H.R. 7025, to prohibit the Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service from funding entities that commit, fund, or support gross violations of internationally recognized human rights, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–417);

H.R. 7693, to amend title 54, United States Code, to reauthorize the National Park Foundation (H. Rept. 117–418); and

H.R. 5118, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to prioritize the completion of the Continental Di-

vide National Scenic Trail, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 117–419). **Page H6705**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Dingell to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6683**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:20 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H6685**

Recess: The House recessed at 2:11 p.m. and reconvened at 2:30 p.m. **Page H6686**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure:

Expressing support for the sovereign decision of Finland and Sweden to apply to join the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) as well as calling on all members of NATO to ratify the protocols of accession swiftly: H. Res. 1130, amended, expressing support for the sovereign decision of Finland and Sweden to apply to join the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) as well as calling on all members of NATO to ratify the protocols of accession swiftly, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nays vote of 394 yeas to 18 nays, Roll No. 364.

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Recess: The House recessed at 3:41 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. **Page H6702**

Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measures under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed.

Desert Sage Youth Wellness Center Access Improvement Act: S. 144, to authorize the Secretary of

Health and Human Services, acting through the Director of the Indian Health Service, to acquire private land to facilitate access to the Desert Sage Youth Wellness Center in Hemet, California;

Pages H6686–87

Southern Campaign of the Revolution National Heritage Corridor Act: H.R. 1286, amended, to establish in the States of North Carolina and South Carolina the Southern Campaign of the Revolution National Heritage Corridor;

Pages H6687–89

Southern Maryland National Heritage Area Act: H.R. 2024, amended, to establish the Southern Maryland National Heritage Area;

Pages H6690–91

Alabama Black Belt National Heritage Area Act: H.R. 3222, amended, to establish the Alabama Black Belt National Heritage Area;

Pages H6691–93

Kissimmee River Wild and Scenic River Act: H.R. 4404, amended, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate segments of the Kissimmee River in the State of Florida as a component of the Wild and Scenic Rivers System;

Pages H6693–94

Biking on Long-Distance Trails Act: H.R. 6337, amended, to require the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to develop long-distance bike trails on Federal land;

Pages H6694–95

Gateway Solidarity Act: H.R. 7002, amended, to authorize the Gateway Arch in St. Louis, Missouri, to be illuminated by blue and yellow lights in support of Ukraine;

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Advancing Human Rights-Centered International Conservation Act of 2022: H.R. 7025, amended, to prohibit the Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service from funding entities that commit, fund, or support gross violations of internationally recognized human rights; and

Pages H6696–98

National Park Foundation Reauthorization Act of 2022: H.R. 7693, to amend title 54, United States Code, to reauthorize the National Park Foundation.

Pages H6698–99

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of today and appears on pages H6702–03.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 p.m. and adjourned at 7:19 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TRANSPORTATION, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2023; RIGHT TO CONTRACEPTION ACT; RESPECT FOR MARRIAGE ACT

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 8294, the “Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2023” [Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, Agriculture, Rural Development, Energy and Water Development, Financial Services and General Government, Interior, Environment, Military Construction, and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2023]; H.R. 8373, the “Right to Contraception Act”; and H.R. 8404, the “Respect for Marriage Act”. The Committee granted, by record vote of 9–4, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 8294, the “Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, Agriculture, Rural Development, Energy and Water Development, Financial Services and General Government, Interior, Environment, Military Construction, and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2023”, H.R. 8373, the “Right to Contraception Act”, and H.R. 8404, the “Respect for Marriage Act”. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 8294, the “Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, Agriculture, Rural Development, Energy and Water Development, Financial Services and General Government, Interior, Environment, Military Construction, and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2023”, under a structured rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–55 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, for failure to comply with clause 2 or clause 5(a) of rule 21. The rule makes in order only those further amendments printed in Part A of the Rules Committee report not considered as part of amendments en bloc, amendments en bloc described in section 3, and pro forma amendments described in section 4. Each amendment printed in the report not considered as part of amendments en bloc may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally

divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, may be withdrawn by the proponent at any time before action thereon, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by Section 4, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. Section 3 of the rule provides that the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or her designee may offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments printed in part A of the report not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 30 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their designees, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by section 4, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendments printed in part A of the Rules Committee report or amendments en bloc described in section 3 of the resolution. Section 4 of the rule provides that the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their designees may offer up to 5 pro forma amendments each at any point for the purpose of debate. The rule provides that at the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill, as amended, to the House with such further amendments as may have been adopted. The question of such further amendments' adoption shall be put to the House en gros and without division of the question. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides that during consideration of H.R. 8294, the Chair may entertain a motion that the Committee rise only if offered by the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or her designee. The Chair may not entertain a motion to strike out the enacting words of the bill. The rule further provides for consideration of H.R. 8373, the Right to Contraception Act, under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Energy and Commerce or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment printed in part B of the Rules Committee Report shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 8404, the Respect for Marriage Act, under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The

rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides that at any time through the legislative day of Thursday, July 21, 2022, the Speaker may entertain motions offered by the Majority Leader or a designee that the House suspend the rules with respect to multiple measures that were the object of motions to suspend the rules on July 18, 2022, on which the yeas and nays were ordered and further proceedings postponed. The Chair shall put the question on any such motion without debate or intervening motion, and the ordering of the yeas and nays on postponed motions to suspend the rules with respect to such measures is vacated. The rule provides that House Resolution 1230 is hereby adopted. The rule provides that clause 7 of rule XIII shall not apply to any resolution introduced prior to the date of adoption of this resolution. Testimony was heard from Representatives Jackson Lee, Burgess, Duncan, Grothman, Miller-Meeks, Rose, Valadao, Westerman, Cicilline, Roy, Schrier, Rodgers of Washington, Wasserman Schultz, Pingree, Joyce of Ohio, Quigley, Womack, Kaptur, Simpson, Price of North Carolina, Diaz-Balart, Bishop of Georgia, and Harris.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JULY 19, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to receive a closed briefing on Ukraine, 9:30 a.m., SVC-217.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing, Transportation, and Community Development, to hold hearings to examine opportunities and challenges in addressing homelessness, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings to examine federal regulatory authorities governing the development of interstate hydrogen pipelines, storage, import, and export facilities, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Foreign Relations: business meeting to consider S. 4428, to support the security of Taiwan and its right of self-determination, S. 4466, to amend the Peace Corps Act by reauthorizing the Peace Corps, providing better support for current, returning, and former volunteers, S. 3052, to promote free and fair elections, democracy, political freedoms, and human rights in Cambodia, S. 3317, to strengthen United States national security through the defense of democracy abroad and to address contemporary threats to democracy around the world, S.

552, to direct the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development to submit to Congress a report on the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on global basic education programs, S. 4320, to enhance security at United States diplomatic facilities, S. 4216, to reauthorize the North Korean Human Rights Act of 2004, S. 3589, to require a United States security strategy for the Western Hemisphere, H.R. 4693, to advance targeted and evidence-based interventions for the prevention and treatment of global malnutrition and to improve the coordination of such programs, H.R. 1036, to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to authorize rewards under the Department of State's rewards program relating to information regarding individuals or entities engaged in activities in contravention of United States or United Nations sanctions, H.R. 6899, to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from engaging in transactions involving the exchange of Special Drawing Rights issued by the International Monetary Fund that are held by the Russian Federation or Belarus, protocols to the North Atlantic Treaty of 1949 on the Accession of the Republic of Finland and the Kingdom of Sweden (Treaty Doc.117-03), the nominations of David Pressman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Hungary, Geoffrey R. Pyatt, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary (Energy Resources), Robert A. Wood, of New York, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during his tenure of service as Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, and Geeta Rao Gupta, of Virginia, to be Ambassador at Large for Global Women's Issues, all of the Department of State, and other pending calendar business, 2:30 p.m., S-116, Capitol.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine addressing weapons of mass destruction and health security threats to the homeland, 10 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine KleptoCapture, focusing on aiding Ukraine through forfeiture of Russian oligarchs' illicit assets, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Committee on Rules and Administration: to hold hearings to examine S. 443, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide for additional disclosure requirements for corporations, labor organizations, Super PACs and other entities, 3 p.m., SR-301.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

House

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Readiness, hearing entitled "Fiscal Year 2023 Readiness Program Update", 9:30 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Education and Labor, Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Investment, hearing entitled "The History and Continued Contributions of Tribal Colleges and Universities", 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Roe Re-

versal: The Impacts of Taking Away the Constitutional Right to an Abortion", 10:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Investor Protection, Entrepreneurship and Capital Markets, hearing entitled "Oversight of the SEC's Division of Enforcement", 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Thoughts and Prayers are Not Enough: How Mass Shootings Harm Communities, Local Economies and Economic Growth", 2 p.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Assessing the U.S. Economic Policy Response to Russia's Invasion of Ukraine", 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Homeland Security, Subcommittee on Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Recovery, hearing entitled "Supporting Underserved Communities in Emergency Management", 9 a.m., 310 Cannon and Webex.

Committee on the Judiciary, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Digital Dragnets: Examining the Government's Access to Your Personal Data", 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, hearing on H.R. 3681, the "Sinkhole Mapping Act of 2021"; H.R. 5522, the "Federal Land Asset Inventory Reform Act"; H.R. 5805, the "Buffalo Tract Protection Act"; and H.R. 5350, the "Enhancing Geothermal Production on Federal Lands Act", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis, hearing entitled "Understanding and Addressing Long COVID and Its Health and Economic Consequences", 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn and Zoom.

Subcommittee on Environment, hearing entitled "Regenerative Agriculture: How Farmers and Ranchers Are Essential To Solving Climate Change and Increasing Food Production", 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Small Business, Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax, and Capital Access, hearing entitled "The SBA Office of International Trade and the STEP Program as Key Tools for Recovery and Expansion", 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Implementing the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act", 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Full Committee, markup on a Resolution to Reauthorize the Women Veterans Task Force; a Resolution on Subcommittee Assignments; H.R. 8260, the "Fast Payments to Veteran Survivors Act of 2022"; H.R. 7846, the "Veterans' Compensation Cost of Living Adjustment Act of 2022"; H.R. 7299, the "Strengthening VA Cybersecurity Act of 2022"; H.R. 8003, the "Restore Veterans Dignity Act of 2022"; H.R. 8215, the "VOICE Act of 2022"; H.R. 6647, to amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements relating to the eligibility of veterans to receive reimbursement for emergency treatment furnished through

the Veterans Community Care program, and for other purposes; H.R. 5606, the “Return Home to Housing Act”; H.R. 5776, the “Serving Our LGBTQ Veterans Act”; H.R. 6823, the “Elizabeth Dole Home and Community Based Services for Veterans and Caregivers Act of 2022”; H.R. 3693, the “VA CPE Modernization Act”; H.R. 291, the “VA COST SAVINGS Enhancements Act”; H.R. 5752, the “Emergency Relief for Servicemembers Act”; H.R. 7939, the “Student Veteran Emergency Relief Act of 2022”; H.R. 7188, the “Modernizing Department of Veterans Affairs Disability Benefit Questionnaires Act”; H.R. 7735, the “Improving Access to the VA Home Loan Benefit Act of 2022”; H.R. 8313, the “House Every Veteran Act”; H.R. 5916, the “Wounded Warrior Access Act”; and H.R. 6671, to amend title 38, United States Code, to ensure that a member of the Armed Services, granted a general discharge under honorable conditions on the sole basis that such member failed to obey a lawful order to receive a vaccine for COVID-19, is eligible for certain educational assistance administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, 10 a.m., HVC-210 and Zoom.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 8367, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2023 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; and to Authorize all Members of the House of Representatives to review, at a time to be determined by the Committee, the Classified Annex to the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023, 10 a.m., HVC-304. This markup is closed.

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress, Full Committee, business meeting on Committee recommendations, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of July 19 through July 22, 2022

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, of Colorado, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, post-cloture, and vote on confirmation thereon at 11:30 a.m.

Following disposition of the nomination of Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Nancy L. Maldonado, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois. If cloture is invoked on the nomination, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 2:15 p.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Appropriations: July 20, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings to examine food safety and the Food and Drug Administration, 10 a.m., SD-124.

Committee on Armed Services: July 19, to receive a closed briefing on Ukraine, 9:30 a.m., SVC-217.

July 21, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Lieutenant General Bryan P. Fenton, USA, to be general and Commander, United States Special Operations Command, and Lieutenant General Michael E. Langley, USMC, to be general and Commander, United States Africa Command, both of the Department of Defense, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: July 19, Subcommittee on Housing, Transportation, and Community Development, to hold hearings to examine opportunities and challenges in addressing homelessness, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

July 21, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the state of housing in America, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: July 20, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Arati Prabhakar, of California, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: July 19, to hold hearings to examine federal regulatory authorities governing the development of interstate hydrogen pipelines, storage, import, and export facilities, 10 a.m., SD-366.

July 21, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 192, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain river segments in the State of Oregon as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, S. 387, to protect, for current and future generations, the watershed, ecosystem, and cultural heritage of the Grand Canyon region in the State of Arizona, to provide for a study relating to the uranium stockpile in the United States, S. 557, to establish a pilot program for native plant species, S. 567, to provide for conservation and economic development in the State of Nevada, S. 1344, to redesignate the Pullman National Monument in the State of Illinois as the Pullman National Historical Park, S. 1493, to sustain economic development and recreational use of National Forest System land in the State of Montana, to add certain land to the National Wilderness Preservation System, to designate new areas for recreation, S. 1538, to amend the Smith River National Recreation Area Act to include certain additions to the Smith River National Recreation Area, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain wild rivers in the State of Oregon, S. 1718, to amend the Rosie the Riveter/World War II Home Front National Historical Park Establishment Act of 200 to provide for additional areas to be added to the park, S. 1769, to adjust the boundary of the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area to include the Rim of the Valley Corridor, S. 2130, to modify the disposition of certain outer

Continental Shelf revenues and to open Federal financial sharing to heighten opportunities for renewable energy, S. 2367, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire land in Frederick County, Maryland, for the Historic Preservation Training Center of the National Park Service, S. 2561, to amend the Forest and Rangeland Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974 and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to provide that a land resource management plan or land use plan approved, amended, or revised under those Acts shall not be considered to be a continuing Federal agency action or constitute a discretionary Federal involvement or control for a distinct Federal purpose, S. 2568, to establish the Open Access Evapotranspiration (OpenET) Data Program, S. 2693, to amend the Reclamation Projects Authorization and Adjustment Act of 1992 to authorize additional projects related to the Salton Sea, S. 2708, to provide for greater consultation between the Federal Government and the governing bodies and community users of land grant-mercedes in New Mexico, to provide for a process for recognition of the historic-traditional uses of land grant-mercedes, S. 2806, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to select and implement landscape-scale forest restoration projects, to assist communities in increasing their resilience to wildfire, S. 2980, to authorize the voluntary donation of grazing permits and leases in the State of New Mexico, S. 2996, to provide for the distribution of certain outer Continental Shelf revenues to the State of Alaska, S. 3046, to codify the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to conduct certain landscape-scale forest restoration projects, S. 3129, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain segments of the Gila River system in the State of New Mexico as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, to provide for the transfer of administrative jurisdiction over certain Federal land in the State of New Mexico, S. 3141, to establish the New Philadelphia National Historical Park in the State of Illinois as a unit of the National Park System, S. 3185, to amend the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area Improvement Act to extend the exception to the closure of certain roads within the Recreation Area for local businesses, S. 3240, to waive the application fee for applications for special use permits for veterans' special events at war memorials on land administered by the National Park Service in the District of Columbia and its environs, S. 3269, to provide for the recognition of certain Alaska Native communities and the settlement of certain claims under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, S. 3307, to modify the boundary of the Wilson's Creek National Battlefield in the State of Missouri, S. 3338, to revise the boundary of the Ste. Genevieve National Historical Park in the State of Missouri, S. 3370, to release the reversionary interest of the United States in certain non-Federal land in Salt Lake City, Utah, S. 3404, to provide the consent of Congress to an amendment to the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, S. 3450, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain facilities in the Sun River project, Montana, for the purpose of hydroelectric power generation, S. 3667, to amend title 54, United States Code, to

establish within the National Park Service the United States African-American Burial Grounds Preservation Program, S. 3685, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing the John P. Parker House in Ripley, Ohio, as a unit of the National Park System, S. 3997, to amend the Land Between the Lakes Protection Act of 1998 to clarify the administration of the Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area, S. 4080, to modify the boundary of the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument to include certain Federal land in Lake County, California, S. 4114, to amend Public Law 99-420 to provide for the conveyance of certain Federal land in the State of Maine for use for affordable workforce housing, S. 4121, to designate the Kol Israel Foundation Holocaust Memorial in Bedford Heights, Ohio, as a national memorial, S. 4176, to amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to modify the eligibility requirements for certain small water storage and groundwater storage projects and to authorize the use of funds for certain additional Carey Act projects, S. 4233, to amend the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to provide for critical maintenance and repair of certain Bureau of Reclamation reserved or transferred works, S. 3519, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Butterfield Overland National Historic Trail, S. 4227, to streamline the oil and gas permitting process and to recognize fee ownership for certain oil and gas drilling or spacing units, H.R. 1931, to provide competitive grants for the promotion of Japanese American confinement education as a means to understand the importance of democratic principles, use and abuse of power, and to raise awareness about the importance of cultural tolerance toward Japanese Americans, H.R. 3531, to authorize the Women Who Worked on the Home Front Foundation to establish a commemorative work in the District of Columbia and its environs, H.R. 5001, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to continue to implement endangered fish recovery programs for the Upper Colorado and San Juan River Basins, H.R. 6201, to extend the authority for the establishment of a commemorative work to honor enslaved and free Black persons who served in the American Revolution, H.R. 6434, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish, within the National Park Service, the Japanese American World War II History Network, and the nomination of Laura Daniel-Davis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Interior, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: July 20, business meeting to consider the nominations of Joseph Goffman, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, Annie Caputo, of Virginia, and Bradley R. Crowell, of Nevada, both to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and 15 General Services Administration resolutions, 11 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance: July 20, to hold hearings to examine the role of tax incentives in affordable housing, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: July 19, business meeting to consider S. 4428, to support the security of Taiwan

and its right of self-determination, S. 4466, to amend the Peace Corps Act by reauthorizing the Peace Corps, providing better support for current, returning, and former volunteers, S. 3052, to promote free and fair elections, democracy, political freedoms, and human rights in Cambodia, S. 3317, to strengthen United States national security through the defense of democracy abroad and to address contemporary threats to democracy around the world, S. 552, to direct the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development to submit to Congress a report on the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on global basic education programs, S. 4320, to enhance security at United States diplomatic facilities, S. 4216, to reauthorize the North Korean Human Rights Act of 2004, S. 3589, to require a United States security strategy for the Western Hemisphere, H.R. 4693, to advance targeted and evidence-based interventions for the prevention and treatment of global malnutrition and to improve the coordination of such programs, H.R. 1036, to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to authorize rewards under the Department of State's rewards program relating to information regarding individuals or entities engaged in activities in contravention of United States or United Nations sanctions, H.R. 6899, to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from engaging in transactions involving the exchange of Special Drawing Rights issued by the International Monetary Fund that are held by the Russian Federation or Belarus, protocols to the North Atlantic Treaty of 1949 on the Accession of the Republic of Finland and the Kingdom of Sweden (Treaty Doc.117-03), the nominations of David Pressman, of New York, to be Ambassador to Hungary, Geoffrey R. Pyatt, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary (Energy Resources), Robert A. Wood, of New York, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during his tenure of service as Alternate Representative of the United States of America for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, and Geeta Rao Gupta, of Virginia, to be Ambassador at Large for Global Women's Issues, all of the Department of State, and other pending calendar business, 2:30 p.m., S-116, Capitol.

July 20, Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the global food security crisis and the U.S. response, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: July 19, to hold hearings to examine addressing weapons of mass destruction and health security threats to the homeland, 10 a.m., SD-342.

July 21, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of David P. Pekoske, of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security, 10:15 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on Indian Affairs: July 20, to hold hearings to examine S. 4104, to approve the settlement of water rights claims of the Hualapai Tribe and certain allottees in the State of Arizona, to authorize construction of a water project relating to those water rights claims, S.

4439, to take certain Federal land located in Siskiyou County, California, and Humboldt County, California, into trust for the benefit of the Karuk Tribe, and H.R. 5221, to amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to establish an urban Indian organization confer policy for the Department of Health and Human Services, 2:30 p.m., SD-628.

Committee on the Judiciary: July 19, to hold hearings to examine KleptoCapture, focusing on aiding Ukraine through forfeiture of Russian oligarchs' illicit assets, 10 a.m., SD-226.

July 20, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the Highland Park attack, focusing on protecting our communities from mass shootings, 10 a.m., SH-216.

July 21, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 4430, to amend title 35, United States Code, to establish an interagency task force between the United States Patent and Trademark Office and the Food and Drug Administration for purposes of sharing information and providing technical assistance with respect to patents, and the nominations of Rachel Bloomekatz, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, Florence Y. Pan, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, Elizabeth Wilson Hanes, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, Ana C. Reyes, to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, Carlton W. Reeves, of Mississippi, to be a Member, and to be Chair, and Laura E. Mate, of Iowa, Claire McCusker Murray, of Maryland, Luis Felipe Restrepo, of Pennsylvania, Claria Horn Boom, of Kentucky, John Gleeson, of New York, and Candice C. Wong, of the District of Columbia, each to be a Member, all of the United States Sentencing Commission, and Carlos Felipe Uriarte, of California, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, 9 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Rules and Administration: July 19, to hold hearings to examine S. 443, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide for additional disclosure requirements for corporations, labor organizations, Super PACs and other entities, 3 p.m., SR-301.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: July 20, to hold hearings to examine the status of VA's electronic health record modernization program, 3 p.m., SR-418.

Select Committee on Intelligence: July 19, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

July 20, Full Committee, closed business meeting to consider pending calendar business; to be immediately followed by a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

House Committees

Committee on Agriculture, July 20, Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management, hearing entitled "A 2022 Review of the Farm Bill: Stakeholder Perspectives on Title XI Crop Insurance", 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

Committee on the Budget, July 20, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Examining the Powerful Impact of Investments in Early Childhood for Children, Families, and Our Nation’s Economy”, 10:30 a.m., 210 Cannon and Zoom.

Committee on Education and Labor, July 20, Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing entitled “Second Class Workers: Assessing H2 Visa Programs Impact on Workers”, 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, July 20, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 3962, the “Securing and Enabling Commerce Using Remote and Electronic Notarization Act of 2021”; H.R. 4081, the “Informing Consumers About Smart Devices Act”; H.R. 4551, the “RANSOMWARE Act”; H.R. 5313, “Reese’s Law”; H.R. 6290, the “Manufacturing.gov Act”; H.R. 8152, the “American Data Privacy and Protection Act”, 9:45 a.m., 2123 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Financial Services, July 20, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Housing in America: Oversight of the Federal Housing Finance Agency”, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, July 20, Subcommittee on Europe, Energy, the Environment, and Cyber, hearing entitled “Accountability for Atrocity Crimes Committed by Russia in Ukraine”, 9:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

July 20, Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere, Civilian Security, Migration and International Economic Policy, hearing entitled “Russia in the Western Hemisphere: Assessing Putin’s Malign Influence in Latin America and the Caribbean”, 2 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Homeland Security, July 20, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Changing Election Security Landscape: Threats to Election Officials and Infrastructure”, 9:30 a.m., 310 Cannon and Webex.

Committee on the Judiciary, July 20, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 2814, the “Equal Access to Justice for Victims of Gun Violence Act”; and H.R. 1808, the “Assault Weapons Ban of 2021”, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn and Zoom.

July 21, Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual Property, and the Internet, hearing entitled “The Patent Trial and Appeal Board After 10 Years, Part II: Implications of Adjudicating in an Agency Setting”, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Natural Resources, July 20, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 6353, the “National Service Animals Memorial Act”; H.R. 6438, the “Dearfield Study Act”; H.R. 6799, the “John P. Parker House Study Act”; H.R. 7618, to designate the Kol Israel Foundation Holocaust Memorial in Bedford Heights, Ohio, as a national memorial; and H.R. 8393, to enable the people of Puerto Rico to choose a permanent, nonterritorial, fully self-governing political status for Puerto Rico and to provide for a transition to and the implementation of that permanent, nonterritorial, fully self-governing political status, and for other purposes, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

July 21, Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife, hearing on H.R. 4951, the “Canyon’s Law”; H.R. 7918, the “Sea Turtle Rescue Assistance Act of 2022”;

H.R. 7975, the “Great Lakes Restoration Semipostal Stamp Act of 2022”; and H.R. 8090, to reauthorize funding for the Reclamation Climate Change and Water Program, 9 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, July 20, Full Committee, continue markup on H.R. 4258, to establish a governmentwide approach to improving digital identity, and for other purposes; H.R. 6548, to establish new Federal renewable energy use requirements, support the equitable transition to clean energy power generation, and require cumulative impact assessments for fossil fuel-fired power plant permitting, and for other purposes; H.R. 7602, to prevent organizational conflicts of interest in Federal acquisition, and for other purposes; H.R. 8322, to amend title 31, United States Code, to establish the Federal Real Antifraud Unified Directorate, to require agencies implement anti-fraud controls for programs susceptible to significant improper payments and high-priority programs, and for other purposes; H.R. 8325, to amend title 41, United States Code, to prevent personal conflicts of interest in Federal acquisition, and for other purposes; H.R. 8326, to amend title 13, United States Code, to improve the operations of the Bureau of the Census, and for other purposes; H.R. 7873, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 400 Southern Avenue Southeast in Washington, District of Columbia, as the “District of Columbia Servicemembers and Veterans Post Office”; H.R. 8025, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 100 South 1st Street in Minneapolis, Minnesota, as the “Martin Olav Sabo Post Office”; H.R. 8026, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 825 West 65th Street in Minneapolis, Minnesota, as the “Charles W. Lindberg Post Office”; H.R. 8217, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 430 South Knowles Avenue in New Richmond, Wisconsin, as the “Captain Robert C. Harmon and Private John R. Peirson Post Office Building”; H.R. 8218, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 619 Hewett Street in Neillsville, Wisconsin, as the “Corporal Mitchell Red Cloud, Jr. Post Office”; and H.R. 8248, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 609 Portsmouth Avenue in Greenland, New Hampshire, as the “Chief Michael Maloney Post Office Building”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

July 21, Subcommittee on Government Operations, hearing entitled “The Future of Federal Work II”, 9 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, July 20, Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight, hearing entitled “Paper Mills and Research Misconduct: Facing the Challenges of Scientific Publishing”, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Small Business, July 20, Subcommittee on Underserved, Agricultural, and Rural Business Development, hearing entitled “SBA District Office Collaboration with Resource Partners”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, July 20, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 884, the “National

Aviation Preparedness Plan Act”; H.R. 2187, the “Truck Parking Safety Improvement Act”; legislation on the Disaster Survivors Fairness Act of 2022; H.R. 7636, the “Bulb Replacement Improving Government with High-Efficiency Technology Act”; and General Services Administration’s Capital Investment and Leasing Program Resolutions, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs, July 20, Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity; and Subcommittee on Technology Modernization, joint hearing entitled “Modernizing Veteran Education in the Shadow of COVID-19”, 1 p.m., HVC-210 and Zoom.

Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol, July 21, Full Committee, hearing entitled “January 6th Investigation”, 8 p.m., 390 Cannon and Webex.

Joint Meetings

Joint Economic Committee: July 20, to hold hearings to examine the economic toll of gun violence, focusing on how our nation bears the costs, 2:30 p.m., 1300, Longworth Building.

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: July 20, to hold hearings to examine life in Ukraine’s newly occupied territories, 2:30 p.m., SD-562.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10 a.m., Tuesday, July 19

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, of Colorado, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, post-cloture, and vote on confirmation thereon at 11:30 a.m.

Following disposition of the nomination of Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Nancy L. Maldonado, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois. If cloture is invoked on the nomination, Senate will vote on confirmation thereon at 2:15 p.m.

(Senate will recess following the vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Nancy L. Maldonado until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Tuesday, July 19

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: To be announced.

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